



State of Washington

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**ADDENDUM TO DETERMINATION OF NONSIGNIFICANCE  
DATED: FEBRUARY 6, 2006**

**Name of DNS:** SCATTER CREEK WILDLIFE AREA DOUGLAS-FIR SAW-TOPPING

**Description of DNS:** This is an oak habitat enhancement project designed to remove Douglas-fir trees that are over-topping and shading out Oregon White Oaks. Two hundred to four hundred Douglas-fir trees will be felled or saw-topped between 1 and 45 feet above the ground and their limbs will be removed. The goal is to increase the growth and vigor of the oaks that are currently shaded by the Douglas-fir trees and to provide snags that will eventually have cavities for cavity nesting birds and mammals in the Douglas-fir trunks that have been left standing.

**Proponent:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife (WDFW), 600 Capitol Way North, Olympia, WA 98501-1091- Contact: Kelly McAllister, Ph # (360-902-8136)

**Location of DNS, including street, if any:** The west half of the north unit and the north half of the south unit of the Scatter Creek Wildlife Area, Washington, Thurston County; Section 25 & 35, Township 16 North, Range 03 WestWM

**Lead Agency:** Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

**The lead agency is providing updated information on this project which may be of interest to other agencies or the public. The updated information provided below does not substantially change the analysis of significant impacts in the existing environmental checklist.**

The original environmental checklist dated February 6, 2006, should be modified to reflect the following corrections:

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will **not act on this proposal for 14 days** from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **February 20, 2006**

**Based on the original environmental checklist and the updated information provided in this addendum, the lead agency has determined that a new threshold determination is not warranted. There is no comment period associated with this SEPA environmental checklist addendum.**

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**DATE OF ISSUE:** February 8, 2006 **SIGNATURE:** 

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